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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	Group Art Unit: Unknown
JOSEPH H. BARTOZZI <i>ET AL.</i>	)	Examiner: Unknown
Serial No.: Unknown	)	
Filed: Concurrently Herewith	)	
For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR	)	
LOCKING FIREARM IN AN OPEN	)	
POSITION BY BLOCKING ACTION	)	

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PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.56

Assistant Commissioner  
of Patents  
Washington, D. C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, the following patents (copies of which are enclosed)  
are submitted to the Examiner for consideration:

<u>Pat. No.</u>	<u>Patentee</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
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3,462,869	C.C. Wallace	August 26, 1969
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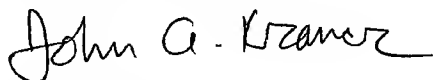
Web Site

*Saf-T-Trigger™ firearm trigger locking device*, October 5, 2001  
<<http://www.saf-t-hammer.com/safTHammer.htm>>

Applicant is unaware of art any more pertinent to the above-identified application than the patents cited above.

A "List of Prior Art Cited by Applicant" (PTO Form SB/08A) is enclosed for the Examiner's convenience.

Respectfully submitted,



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